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Applicant(s): Kyosuke Taka et al.

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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICIAL ACTION

This is in response to the currently outstanding non-final Official Action in the above-identified case dated 18 February 2005.